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1919 M Street NW Washington, D.C. 20554 FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

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Dear FCC Secretary,

Today's newspaper tells me you are considering tougher rules for children's TV. My response is: please get tougher! This video playground is nothing but a toxic waste dump for animation so crassly commercialized it makes infomercials look like serious investigative reporting.

Even more appalling, as the article stated, is the prevalence of "happy" violence, where killing seems to have no consequences. I can hardly imagine a more damaging message to be sending a child. Kids are not ready for the real implications of death.